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## JULY - SEPTEMBER 2016 QUARTERLY MILK PRODUCTION MOUNTAIN REGION HIGHLIGHTS

**Arizona** dairy herds produced 1.11 billion pounds of milk during the July - September quarter, up 0.5 percent from the previous year.

**Colorado** dairy herds produced 1.01 billion pounds of milk during the July - September quarter, up 5.5 percent from the previous year.

**Montana** dairy herds produced 74.0 million pounds of milk during the July - September quarter, down 1.3 percent from the previous year.

**New Mexico** dairy herds produced 1.94 billion pounds of milk during the July - September quarter, down 0.3 percent from the previous year.

**Utah** dairy herds produced 541.0 million pounds of milk during the July - September quarter, down 4.1 percent from the previous year.

**Wyoming** dairy herds produced 35.1 million pounds of milk during the July - September quarter, up 0.3 percent from the previous year.

## UNITED STATES HIGHLIGHTS

Nationally, **U.S.** milk production during the July - September quarter totaled 52.6 billion pounds, up 1.7 percent from the July - September quarter last year.

### Mountain Region Quarterly Milk Production by State and United States July - September 2016

State	Quarterly Milk Production		Change From 2015
	2015	2016 <sup>1/</sup>	
	<i>million pounds</i>	<i>million pounds</i>	<i>percent</i>
Arizona .....	1,102.0	1,107.0	0.5
Colorado .....	953.0	1,005.0	5.5
Montana .....	75.0	74.0	-1.3
New Mexico .....	1,941.0	1,935.0	-0.3
Utah .....	564.0	541.0	-4.1
Wyoming .....	35.0	35.1	0.3
<b>United States .....</b>	<b>51,685.0</b>	<b>52,585.0</b>	<b>1.7</b>

<sup>1/</sup> Excludes milk sucked by calves.

For complete results of the *Milk Production* report go to [www.nass.usda.gov](http://www.nass.usda.gov)

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